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June 29, 1993

Mr. Brian Fontes  
Chief of Staff to Commissioner Quello  
Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street, NW  
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Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Gen. Docket 90-314  
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Dear Brian:

In recent weeks, a number of officials at the Commission have suggested that it would be beneficial to bring the issues surrounding PCS and the FCC framework for PCS licensing before the Commission in a fashion that would elucidate the issues and present the debate to the FCC.

We have given considerable thought to possible means of advancing the technical, economic and policy discussion. We write to propose that an informal but structured discussion of the range of issues the Commission will consider will serve the public interest.

Specifically, we would suggest that PCS Action and CTIA, and any other substantial industry group with a comprehensive vision for PCS be invited by the Commission or invite the PCS working group at the Commission to a half day meeting on PCS. We would suggest that while informality and exchange of questions and ideas would be most helpful, we believe that the vision of PCS should be presented in some regular format. We would propose that each group have a team of three or four members and that each team be given one hour to present its vision and 10 minutes for rebuttal. Order could be determined by lot. After the opening period, the FCC group could engage the teams in question and answer times, giving each team the ability to respond to each question.

We also suggest that discussion be focused on the technical, economic and policy issues of interest to the Commission. It would also be our intent that each team have at least one technical expert and one economics/business expert.

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We believe a combination of some structure and some free exchange will enable the Commission to get the maximum benefit from the process.

We are ready to work with you and others to resolve any questions raised by this proposal. We would suggest a morning meeting for this purpose on July 22, 23, 26 or 27. We assume that by August we will start losing people to vacations.

Please let us know if these suggestions are of interest.

Sincerely,



Anthony T. Podesta

CC: Tom Wheeler, CTIA